Whereas, it is with great pride and sincere admiration that the members of the Missouri House of Representatives honor treasured residents of the Show-Me State who have experienced the joys and blessings of a prosperous marriage; and

Whereas, fifty years ago on July 2, 1955, Lloyd Ray Carr took the hand of his beautiful bride, Juanita Gaddie, as they began their commitment to a lifetime of shared love and devotion by exchanging wedding vows during a solemn ceremony witnessed by Clayton Carr, brother of the groom, and Martha McCormack, on July 2, 1955, at the home of Brother Ed Hampton of Louisiana, Missouri; and

Whereas, in the years since that heavenly day, Lloyd and Juanita Carr have had the pleasure of watching their family grow to include three sons and three daughters-in-law, Michael and Tammy Carr, Brian and Dianne Carr, and Roger and Melanie Carr; and six grandchildren, Kevin, Robert, Jessica, Brent, Danielle, and Taylor; and

Whereas, a member of Grassy Creek Baptist Church in Louisiana, Lloyd Carr is known as a dedicated family man who generously provided his loved ones with a comfortable home and secure future through his successful endeavors as a farmer, an occupation from which he is now retired; and

Whereas, a devoted wife, loving mother, and outstanding homemaker, Juanita Carr has further distinguished herself as a member of Southside Baptist Church and a former employee of the International Shoe Company in Vandalia; and

Whereas, Lloyd and Juanita Carr have found the road to happiness by putting all of their energy, love, and ambition into their marriage and by knowing that a successful union is built upon such strong qualities as sacrifice, dedication, and honesty; and

Whereas, Mr. and Mrs. Carr, residents of Farber, commemorated the glorious occasion of their Golden Wedding Anniversary with a special celebration on July 10, 2005, at the VFW Hall in Vandalia:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously in extending our most hearty congratulations to Lloyd and Juanita Carr for their tremendous success in achieving a half century of wedded bliss and in wishing them many happy and rewarding years to come; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ray Carr.

Offered by	
	Representative Terry L. Witte
	District No. 10

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House Resolution No. 4003, adopted July 14, 2005.